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Office Action Summary

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Applicant(s)

KUNDU ET AL.

Examiner

John B. Walsh

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Period for Reply

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Status

- 1) ☐ Responsive to communication(s) filed on ____.
- 2a) ☐ This action is **FINAL**. 2b) ☒ This action is non-final.
- 3) ☐ Since this application is in condition for allowance except for formal matters, prosecution as to the merits is closed in accordance with the practice under *Ex parte Quayle*, 1935 C.D. 11, 453 O.G. 213.

Disposition of Claims

- 4) ☒ Claim(s) 1-26 is/are pending in the application.
- 4a) Of the above claim(s) ____ is/are withdrawn from consideration.
- 5) ☐ Claim(s) ____ is/are allowed.
- 6) ☒ Claim(s) 1,2,5-7,9,10,13-15,17,18,21,22 and 24-26 is/are rejected.
- 7) ☒ Claim(s) 3,4,8,11,12,16,19,20,23 is/are objected to.
- 8) ☐ Claim(s) ____ are subject to restriction and/or election requirement.

Application Papers

- 9) ☐ The specification is objected to by the Examiner.
- 10) ☒ The drawing(s) filed on 04 December 2003 is/are: a) ☒ accepted or b) ☐ objected to by the Examiner.
Applicant may not request that any objection to the drawing(s) be held in abeyance. See 37 CFR 1.85(a).
Replacement drawing sheet(s) including the correction is required if the drawing(s) is objected to. See 37 CFR 1.121(d).
- 11) ☐ The oath or declaration is objected to by the Examiner. Note the attached Office Action or form PTO-152.

Priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119

- 12) ☐ Acknowledgment is made of a claim for foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or (f).
- a) ☐ All b) ☐ Some * c) ☐ None of:
1. ☐ Certified copies of the priority documents have been received.
 2. ☐ Certified copies of the priority documents have been received in Application No. ____.
 3. ☐ Copies of the certified copies of the priority documents have been received in this National Stage application from the International Bureau (PCT Rule 17.2(a)).

* See the attached detailed Office action for a list of the certified copies not received.

Attachment(s)

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| 1) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Notice of References Cited (PTO-892) | 4) <input type="checkbox"/> Interview Summary (PTO-413)
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| 2) <input type="checkbox"/> Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review (PTO-948) | 5) <input type="checkbox"/> Notice of Informal Patent Application |
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DETAILED ACTION

Claim Rejections - 35 USC § 102

1. The following is a quotation of the appropriate paragraphs of 35 U.S.C. 102 that form the basis for the rejections under this section made in this Office action:

A person shall be entitled to a patent unless –

(e) the invention was described in (1) an application for patent, published under section 122(b), by another filed in the United States before the invention by the applicant for patent or (2) a patent granted on an application for patent by another filed in the United States before the invention by the applicant for patent, except that an international application filed under the treaty defined in section 351(a) shall have the effects for purposes of this subsection of an application filed in the United States only if the international application designated the United States and was published under Article 21(2) of such treaty in the English language.

2. Claims 1, 2, 5-7, 9, 10, 13-15, 17, 18, 21, 22 and 24-26 are rejected under 35

U.S.C. 102(e) as being anticipated by U.S. Patent No. 6,993,568 to Hauduc et al.

As concerns claims 1, 9, 17 and 26, a method for downloading a document (col. 2, line 24) from a server (col. 2, line 25) computer to a client computer (col. 2, line 26), said method comprising the steps of: repackaging scripts (col. 2, lines 30-31) in a document program at the server such that scripts are in a program location no earlier than the program location of a first corresponding data element (scripts are created from conversion of application content, thus are no earlier, col. 2, line 31); downloading the repackaged document program to said client (col. 2, lines 32-33); rendering said repackaged document at said client as it arrives until complete (col. 2, lines 48-49); and in parallel with said rendering step, scheduling execution of said scripts (col. 2, lines 51-54) by said client to validate corresponding data elements no sooner than said step of rendering (col. 3, lines 55-58).

As concerns claims 2, 10 and 18, further comprising validating the rendered document once completely rendered (520).

As concerns claims 5, 13 and 25, wherein said repackaging step packages all scripts required by the first data element whose validation requires those scripts (col. 2, lines 30-33).

As concerns claims 6, 14 and 21, wherein said scheduling step executes a script as it is downloaded from said server (fig. 8; 825).

As concerns claims 7, 15 and 22, wherein said scheduling step executes a script once all data elements relying on said script have been downloaded from said server (fig. 8).

As concerns claim 24, a server computer (col. 2, line 25) operable to repackage a document program (col. 2, lines 30-31) such that scripts are in a program location no earlier than location of a first corresponding data element (scripts are created from conversion of application content, thus are no earlier, col. 2, line 31).

Allowable Subject Matter

3. Claims 3, 4, 8, 11, 12, 16, 19, 20 and 23 are objected to as being dependent upon a rejected base claim, but would be allowable if rewritten in independent form including all of the limitations of the base claim and any intervening claims.

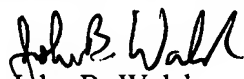
Conclusion

4. The prior art made of record and not relied upon is considered pertinent to applicant's disclosure. See PTO-892.

5. Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to John B. Walsh whose telephone number is 571-272-7063. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday-Thursday from 7:00-5:30.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, John Follansbee can be reached on 571-272-3964. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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